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RE: *U.S. Patent Application No. 10/714,820 entitled "METHOD FOR ANALYZING DNA OF SWEET POTATO" – Maria Berenyi et al.*

Our reference: SONN:043US

Client reference: R42691/sh

Sir:

Please find enclosed:

- (1) A Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) mailed May 13, 2004;
- (2) Declaration;
- (3) Statement as Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(a) and (b) and Statement as Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(g);
- (4) Computer Readable Form of Sequence Listing;
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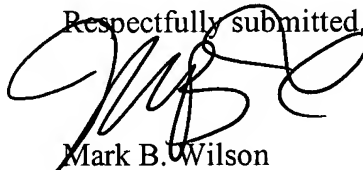
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Maria Berenyi *et al.*

Serial No.: 10/714,820

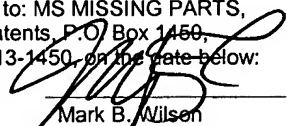
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For: METHOD FOR ANALYZING DNA OF
SWEET POTATO

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b), dated May 13, 2004, enclosed are:

- (a) Declaration executed on behalf of Maria Berenyi, Kornel Burg, Simon T. Gichuki and Josef Schmidt;
- (b) Statement as Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(a) and (b) and Statement as Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(g);
- (c) Computer Readable Form of Sequence Listing;

- (d) Paper Copy of Sequence Listing;
- (e) Our check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge for late filing;
- (f) A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

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